

Jessie's Mound  
is named for this →  
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JESSE HUGHES AND  
AMANDA WOOD McCARRELL



Jesse Hughes McCarell, son of Jesse McCarell and Mary Hughes McCarell. Born March 26, 1825, in Louisiana. Married Amanda Wood in 1848.

Amanda Wood, daughter of David and Catherine Wood of Canada.

Born September 2, 1829.

Jesse and Amanda Wood McCarell were pioneers of Midway. They lived in the Fort. Mr. and Mrs. McCarell owned the land at the foot of what is now called "Memorial Hill." Until recent years the mound named for Mr. McCarell was called "Jesse's Mound."

Mr. McCarell was a sturdy intrepid colonizer. He raised cattle said to be among the best in the valley. He and his good wife came from honorable families. They contributed much to the building of our valley. A report is remembered that Jesse McCarell helped to finance more than one missionary who could not have gone except for the generosity of this good man.

Children:

Jesse David, married Jane Cliff  
Sidney Osborn, married Susan Sulser  
Mrs. Daniel (Mary Catherine) Evans  
Joseph Peter married Elizabeth Sulser  
Mrs. Harmon (Amanda) Knoble  
Charles Oscar married Margaret Gill  
Mrs. John D. (Agnes) Mecham  
William Mark died in youth  
Mrs. Lafayette (Eliza) Woods  
George Hughes.

